

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING



between the
**Leech Lake Reservation
Tribal Council**
and the
Chippewa National Forest



In a spirit of mutual respect and understanding, the Leech Lake Reservation and the Chippewa National Forest will cooperate in their roles as stewards of the lands and resources within the Leech Lake Reservation and the Chippewa National Forest.

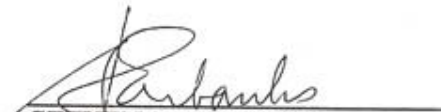
This partnership is a new beginning for cooperative management of the natural and human resources of the Leech Lake Reservation and the Chippewa National Forest.

We recognize and acknowledge our government to government relationship and our separate authorities and responsibilities, but believe they are not a barrier to significant interaction and cooperation.

To the greatest extent possible, the Leech Lake Reservation Tribal Council and Chippewa National Forest shall seek opportunities to form partnerships in natural and human resource management and will share knowledge, discuss and resolve issues, and exchange ideas, concepts and theories about the most effective strategies for managing the natural and human resources of the Leech Lake Reservation and Chippewa National Forest for the benefit of this and future generations.

Signed on this 9th day of August, 1993.


ALFRED R. PEMBERTON
Chairman
Leech Lake Reservation Tribal Council


STEVEN T. EUBANKS
Forest Supervisor
Chippewa National Forest

Anishinabe (Ojibwe/Chippewa) Pictograph of a Bald Eagle.
The Eagle Symbolizes Courage and Vision, Attributes of Leadership.